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SUBJECT: GSP: PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF PROBABLE
COMPETITIVE NEED CHANGES ON MARCH 1

1. THIS MESSAGE IS FOR INFORMATION ONLY FOR POSTS IN
NON-GSP BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES.
2. WE RECENTLY COLLECTED STATISTICS ON IMPORTS DURING
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FIRST 10 MONTHS OF 1976 IN ORDER TO PROVIDE IMPORTERS
AND EXPORTERS WITH SOME ADVANCED INDICATION OF LIKELY
COMPETITIVE NEED CHANGES IN US GSP. LIST I BELOW IS
OF PRODUCTS THAT APPEAR LIKELY TO BE ELIMINATED FOR
SPECIFIC COUNTRIES BY EITHER THE 50 PERCENT PROVISION
OR THE DOLLAR LIMIT PROVISION (DOLLAR PROVISION FOR
1976 WAS DOLLARS 26.6 MILLION AND IS ADJUSTED FOR
CHANGES IN GNP. LEVEL NOT YET DETERMINED FOR 1977
BUT EXPECTED TO BE AROUND 29 OR 30 MILLION-)
LIST II IS PRODUCTS THAT ARE APPROACHING EITHER LIMIT

FOR SPECIFIC COUNTRIES BUT HAVE NOT YET EXCEEDED THE LIMIT.
 POSTS SHOULD BEAR IN MIND, AND STRESS DURING ANY
 DISCUSSION WITH EXPORTERS OR HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS,
 THAT THESE ARE PRELIMINARY DATA FOR 10 MONTHS ONLY,
 THAT MARKET SHARES OF COUNTRIES MAY FALL BELOW 50 PERCENT
 AS A RESULT OF US IMPORTS IN LAST TWO MONTHS OF 1976,

AND THAT FINAL DETERMINATION WILL BE MADE ON BASIS OF
 FULL YEARS DATA. CURRENT LISTS ARE SIMPLY TO PROVIDE
 INDICATION OF LIKELY RESULTS. IN ADDITION, IMPORTS
 IN LAST TWO MONTHS MAY LEAD TO OTHER PRODUCTS NOT LISTED
 SURPASSING EITHER THE DOLLAR OR 50 PERCENT LIMIT.
 DEFINITIVE LIST IS NOT EXPECTED TO BE AVAILABLE UNTIL
 END OF FEBRUARY, AND WILL BE EFFECTIVE MARCH 1.
 POSTS SHOULD BE AWARE OF FACT THAT COMPETITIVE
 NEED EXCLUSIONS ARE NOT DISCRETIONARY. THEY ARE
 BASED ON US LAW ESTABLISHING GSP AND THE PREVIOUS
 YEAR'S IMPORT STATISTICS, AND THE ADMINISTRATION HAS
 NO POSSIBILITY OF WAIVING THESE EXCLUSIONS EXCEPT

WHERE USITC DETERMINES THAT THERE WAS NOT LIKE
 OR DIRECTLY COMPETITIVE PRODUCTION IN US ON
 JANUARY 3, 1975, DATE OF ENACTMENT OF TRADE ACT.
 IN THIS CASE 50 PERCENT COMPETITIVE NEED EXCLUSION
 CAN BE WAIVED.

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